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SENATOR DICKINSON: Let's just go to work and when we get ready to adjourn sine die we shall do it. Why are we wasting time fooling with it?

PRESIDENT: We waste a lot of time saying we ought to get back to work. There's still a lot of lights on to waste ... Senator Simpson.

SENATOR SIMPSON: I like to waste as much time as anybody. Since we are doing it, and have started, we might as well continue. We've spent over an hour today on complete foolishness in talking about things we can't decide today. We're not going to make a decision on this until at least Wednesday, no way. Until we're going to see what happens to these bills. When it gets there then we can decide whether it's going to be Friday or Saturday, or a week from Friday. I hope we just turn this completely down at this time and keep it rationale till Wednesday comes around. Forget about this.

PRESIDENT: Anyone else ... I've got some more lights on. Are these by mistake? Senator Duis. There's nothing before the House right now, by the way.

CLERK: Mr. President ...

PRESIDENT: What is before us. Oh, excuse me, you're correct. We're on the Stull motion.

SENATOR DUIS: Mr. President, I still renew my thought. Let's just work here until we get done and then we'll adjourn sine die. If we make a rule, or if we make a motion here that we think is carried today, we may put Emory Burnett in a horrible situation. He may try to get something done by that time and find out he didn't need to. I still think it's a promise of this Legislature to work until its work is finished and we're required to do it within 90 days. If we can do it on the 89th day, that's fine. If we can't do it on the 89th day, we better decide on that 89th day as to what day we're going to come back for the 90th day. I would suggest we just go to work.

PRESIDENT: Senator Mills.

SENATOR MILLS: Mr. President, I would urge you to defeat the Stull motion. As one who has sat here many, many Friday afternoons and watched people disappear out of this body, I wonder what consternation some of us might have at that particular time. I think we should do as Senator Duis said. I would urge you to defeat the Duis ... the Stull motion.

PRESIDENT: Senator Burbach.

SENATOR BURBACH: Mr. President, members of the Legislature. I'm not trying to push a netting around this place. I'm trying to put some rhyme, reason and sensibility in this place. I offered an amendment for the 89th day. I also